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Mr. William Taylor  
U.S. Department of Energy, Fernald Area Office  
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**Re: APPROVAL -Certification Report for A8Pill-North**

Dear Mr. Taylor:

Ohio EPA has reviewed DOE's submittal, "Transmittal of the Draft Certification Report for Area 8 Phase III-North" received on December 4, 2003. Appendix A was missing the sampling data sheets for Certification Units 1 - 9. Ohio EPA has since been faxed a copy of the sampling results, and approves this document with the inclusion of these data sheets.

If you have any questions, please contact Michelle Waller or me at (937) 285-6466.

Sincerely,

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